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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re **PATENT** application of:

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Art Unit: 3761

Serial No: 10/596,258

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Examiner: Benedict L. Hanrahan

Title: **WORN ARTICLE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Accounting Division - Receipts
United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

The undersigned respectfully requests a refund of \$65 due to an overpayment of the One-Month Petition for Extension of Time paid on April 22, 2010 in the above-identified application. The applicant qualifies for small entity, but the large entity Extension of Time Fee was paid by credit card via EFS-Web; please refund the fee directly to our credit card. Please contact Mr. Dan Caraballo of our Accounts Payable Department at 216-621-1113 if you need further information.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Fee Code</i>	<i>Fee</i>	<i>Small Entity Fee Amount</i>	<i>Fee Paid</i>	<i>Refund</i>
04/22/2010	1251	One-Month Extension of Time Fee	\$65 (Fee Code 2251)	\$130	\$65
Total Refund Requested					\$65

EXPLANATION OF WHY CHARGES ARE IN ERROR

The charges listed above correspond to "One-Month Extension of Time Fee (large entity)", and were paid in full on April 22, 2010 in the amount of \$130.00. The payment was made for a large entity, but the applicant is entitled to small entity status.

A refund in the amount of \$65.00 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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